

Anonymous- local community member submission strongly opposing the McPhillamy Gold Project

It surely is ridiculously unfair to think 87 households unaffected within a 2km boundary of the proposed McPhillamy mine.

Socially the close community has been devastated, living in fear for years now, unsure of their situation regarding the affects this development will have on their health and lifestyles let alone their property values.

There have been relationship breakdowns and families that have lived at Kings Plains all of their lives opting to sell up and leave. The anxiety and fear combined with the sleepless nights and uncertainty becoming impossible to cope with. People have thought it better to leave the land they love than to risk the uncertainly and exposure to a range of harmful environmental agents (dust, blasting, noise, polluted domestic water).

With the Kings Plains social network already in tatters, the approval for the development on this site would see the collapse of the community structure completely. This site is completely unsuitable for the McPhillamy Mine!